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# AMENDMENT

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#### Dear Sir:

This Amendment is in response to a restriction requirement issued in the Office Action of January 7, 2005, the period for response extending to April 7, 2005. Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 2; Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3; and Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.